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## ROOSEVELT WANTS CONGRESS TO EXTEND N.R.A. FOR TWO YEARS

### INDIA BILL DISCUSSION IN COMMONS

Council Of Greater  
India Proposal  
Rejected

ADVISORY COUNCIL NOT  
ADVISABLE

London, To-day.

An amendment to establish an Advisory Council to be styled the Council of Greater India, in substitution for the federal proposals of the Government of India bill, was rejected by 308 votes to 50 during the committee stage of the debate in the House of Commons last night.

The Secretary for India, Sir Samuel Hoare, said that supporters of the amendment based themselves on the very tentative and temporary recommendations of the Statutory Commission. The whole essence of the recommendation in the report of the Joint Select Committee was that over as wide a field as was safe, more responsibility should be given in the provinces and in the centre.

His own view since the time the princes made their offer to come into the federation was that it would be the greatest possible mistake to return to the earlier proposal which was made by the Statutory Commission, only on the assumption that the princes were unlikely to enter the federation for a considerable time.

**NO CO-OPERATION SEEN**  
He felt confident that the princes would on no account co-operate with a body of this kind. When they made their offer four years ago they said quite definitely they were prepared to participate in the Central Government only if it was a responsible government. He was convinced that of the main reasons prompting the princes was the need they felt for a voice in the effective control in policy, particularly the question of customs.

#### NEGLECT OF CENTRE

A great many people had at first taken the view that the safer course was to make an advance in the provinces without making a simultaneous advance at the centre. On further consideration many of them had been driven inevitably to view that that was really the more foolish and dangerous course because to ignore the feeling in the states and British India that without action at the centre Indian status would still remain inferior in the eyes of the world would be to run the risk of making a provincial experiment in the worst possible atmosphere.

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### PRINCE INSPECTS FLATS

Views Housing Problem  
In Vienna

London, To-day.  
H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, before leaving Vienna yesterday evening by an ordinary express train for Budapest, made a tour of inspection of workers' flats.

The Prince is keenly interested in the housing problem, and welcomed the opportunity of visiting flats which have a world-wide reputation.

On his return from Budapest, the Prince will witness the ski-racing at Semmering.

He is expected to return to Vienna on Sunday evening and may make the journey to London by air on Monday.—British Wireless Service.



Mrs. Dunbar, accompanied by Mr. L. Dunbar, leading in Liberty Bay (Mr. Frost) after he had won the Champion Stakes yesterday for the third successive year to give the Dunbar stable its eighth successive win in the classic.—(King's Studio).

### GOLD CLAUSE EFFECT ON EUROPE

Currencies Crushed  
Between £ & \$

#### MUSSOLINI'S BLUFF

A special Washington cable to Messrs. S. E. Levy and Company states that a favourable reaction in Europe has greeted the United States Supreme Court's ruling on the "Gold Clause" case, but, at the same time, a certain amount of apprehension is felt as to what will be the ultimate effect should President Roosevelt's programme fail.

Gold currencies are being crushed between the pound and the dollar, and it seems economically impossible for the gold bloc to hold out much longer. It is generally conceded that the dollar holds the whip hand on currencies, although outwardly it is left to the pound to decide the issue of the gold bloc.

Great Britain is striving for stabilisation at around U.S.\$4.20 to the pound, but it is expected that Washington will manoeuvre to keep exchange in the neighbourhood of U.S.\$4.87.

The unpopularity of the British Cabinet is increasing.

Premier Flandin is prepared to take action to force banks to support French trade.

The opinion is expressed in authoritative circles in Great Britain that Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy cannot afford to have a war on his hands at the present moment and that his warlike display is in the nature of bluff.

#### REAR-ADmiral MURFIN'S NEW APPOINTMENT

Succeeds Admiral Upham As  
C-in-C Of U.S. Asiatic Fleet

Washington, To-day.  
Rear-Admiral O. G. Murfin has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the U.S. Asiatic Fleet in succession to Admiral F. B. Upham, the appointment to become effective in the summer.—Reuter.

#### DR. WANG FETED IN JAPAN

Audience With Premier  
And War Minister

Tokyo, To-day.  
Dr. Wang Chung-hui, Judge at the Hague Court of International Justice, was the guest yesterday evening of the Asahi Shimbuin directors in the Hashigakura Restaurant.

He called on the Premier at 9 o'clock this morning and had an hour's interview and later paid a call on the War Minister.

He will be the guest of honour at a luncheon to be given by General Chang Tso-pin in the Imperial Hotel, at which 30 guests will attend, including some Cabinet Ministers.

He will be entertained to dinner to-night by Professor Oda of the Imperial University.—Reuter.

#### JAPANESE POODLE UNMUZZLED

Owner Pleads Difficulty  
Of Fixing One

For allowing his dog abroad without a muzzle, Mr. A. Miyamoto, of No. 14, Johnston Road, was fined \$5 by Mr. E. L. Wynne-Jones at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Defendant stated that his dog was a Japanese poodle, and that it is very difficult to fix a muzzle on its mouth.

#### FRED ELLIS GUILTY

Shanghai, To-day.—Mr. Fred Ellis, the former Hong Kong resident charged with unlawfully selling tickets in the International Country Club New Year Sweeps, has been found guilty and will be bound over for three years in two sentences of \$20 each.



Unsuccessful last-minute efforts to swing the Baar Plebsite vote away from union with Germany were made by Max Braun, anti-Nazi leader in the area.

### GOVERNMENTAL INSPECTION OF ARMS FACTORIES

Questions In House  
Of Commons

#### SIMPLIFIED MACHINERY OF SUPERVISION NEEDED

London, To-day.

The British Government's attitude towards the proposal for an inspection of armament factories, made at the Traffic in Arms Committee at Geneva, was dealt with yesterday, in an answer to a Parliamentary question, by Sir John Simon, Foreign Secretary.

He said that His Majesty's Government considered that an elaborate system of permanent and automatic supervision, with local inspection, was not suitable for the limited objective with which the Committee was dealing. To achieve results the machinery of supervision could and should be simplified, without lessening its effectiveness as regards the immediate object in view.

The United Kingdom delegation at Geneva would submit in due course proposals in this respect. The Government's attitude to the system of permanent and automatic supervision, in connection with a convention for the reduction and limitation of armaments, is expressed in its memorandum on disarmament which was issued last year.—British Wireless Service.

#### WEDNESDAY RECORD FIRST AWAY SUCCESS

Arsenal Beat Stoke  
At Highbury

PENSIONERS SURPRISE  
EVERTON

London, To-day.  
There were several surprises in yesterday's Home football fixtures. Sheffield Wednesday secured their first away victory by defeating Liverpool by the odd goal in three, and are now within striking distance of the leaders.

Arsenal further enhanced their position by taking two points from Stoke City on the Highbury ground, while the Pensioners surprised Everton.

Leeds won their home fixture against West Bromwich by a decisive score.

In the Third Division, Stockport swamped Accrington.

Scores as cabled by Reuter were:

#### FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	2	Stoke	0
Chelsea	3	Everton	1
Leeds	4	W. Bromwich	1
Liverpool	1	Wednesday	2

#### THIRD DIVISION (North)

Stockport	5	Accrington	1
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#### SPURS DRAW CUP REPLAY

Bolton Throw Away  
Good Opportunity

London, To-day.—Bolton and Tottenham yesterday again shared two goals in their Fifth Round replay in the FA Cup on the Bolton ground. Extra time was played.—Reuter.



Mr. S. Y. Sun, left, was presented with the Ladies' Purse by Miss Mackie after his record-breaking run on Soldier of Britain yesterday at the Valley.—(King's Studio).

### 15-INCH HUMANS

FOSSIL REMAINS  
FOUND IN INDIA

COWS OF 18 INCHES

Bombay, To-day.

Her Majesty the Queen, accompanied by the Princess Royal, Viscountess Harewood, visited the textile section of the British Industries Fair at White City yesterday afternoon.

During the morning, H.R.H. the Duke of York, visited this section of the Fair.—British Wireless Service.

### CHINESE ACTORS TOUR RUSSIA

Butterfly Wu And  
Mei Lan Fang In  
Party

Shanghai, To-day.  
Three Chinese, known throughout China, are heading a party of actors, musicians and film stars on a trip to Soviet Russia to-day.

Leading the party is Dr. W. W. Yen, the Chinese Ambassador to the Soviet, who is en route to resume his duties. The other two are Miss Butterfly Wu, China's most popular film star, and Mr. Mei Lan-fang. The latter will present theatrical performances in Moscow and Leningrad, while Miss Butterfly Wu is attending the International Cinema Conference.—Reuter.

### EASTERN PACT ESSENTIAL

Soviet Anxiety

London, To-day.

An Eastern security pact is considered an essential and integral part of the indivisible European peace guarantee for which the Soviet note calls.

The Soviet recently exhibited anxiety lest the manifest obstacles to an Eastern pact may lead to its abandonment by France and intimated that any such tendency was fraught with the gravest danger to European peace.—Reuter.

### Anglo-French Proposals Welcomed

Moscow, To-day.

The Soviet note to Paris and London welcomes the Anglo-French London proposals and emphasises the necessity of their conclusion for the attainment of European security, but points out the necessity of adopting the most prompt and effective measures to counteract military aggression by pacts of mutual assistance, which are now actively supported by the Soviet, France, Britain, and Italy, as well as the Little Entente and the Balkan Entente, with a joint population of 365,000,000 or 75 per cent of the whole population of Europe.

It is therefore difficult to suppose that such a majority is unable to strengthen peace by measures which are uniformly in favour.—Reuter.

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## The Woman's Page

## Decide To Be Beautiful

## 4 Hourly Fruit Cocktail

(By Elizabeth Watt.)

Waken-up one fine morning and decide that within one week you will be more beautiful. Just like that! Then go to it.

Put yourself first of all on a two days' fruit diet. It is the one sure way of clearing the whole system of acidity. This is the commonest of complaints to-day, and Public Enemy No. 1 as far as beauty is concerned.

It throws the inner working more completely out of gear than a lord mayor's banquet. It ruins the digestion, the figure, and the best of good complexions.

So conquer it with the neutralising acids you find in such fruits as grapefruits, oranges and lemons.

Every four hours for two complete days make yourself a pure fruit-juice cocktail and toss it off with "Good looks" for the toast.

Halfway between times you will get ravenously hungry. Resist the temptation to have a good square meal. Instead, try a bowl of steaming vegetable soup, which staves off the worst pangs and assists in the internal cleansing.

When the two days are over you will have the fresh skin of a child... and the appetite of ten men and a boy.

But go steady. Lean, chops, fresh salads, fruit, no drinking with meals, but not less than three quarts of water a day, taken between meals, and the good work of reducing and rejuvenation will go on happily.

## Try Climbing The Walls

Of course, I do not assume that all of you wish to reduce. These suggestions are not only for people who wish to lose weight, but also for those who wish to keep fit and keep young. And wall-climbing is the exercise for stimulating the circulation and making the body supple.

Lie on the floor of your bedroom with back and shoulders firmly planted on the floor and legs against the wall raised at right angles to the body.

Bend the knees slightly until you are able to walk up the wall. Then, taking very short steps, start your wall-climbing exercises. Climb until you have raised yourself so high that the whole body is supported on the shoulders.

Descend until you are back into the original position. You won't find a better way for sending the blood circulating and making you look years younger.

Now if you like you can go along with the reducing roller, electric vibrator, or the lotions and creams you have chosen to hasten on the good work.

There is a rubber strap on the market, by the way, which is decidedly useful. You tuck a little cake of soap into a pocket in its middle, wet the crepe rubber, and work it exactly the same way as the reducing belt on an electric vibrator. You, yourself, of course, must supply all the energy. Still, the strap costs only 3s. 1d.

## INDIVIDUALITY IN NECKLINES

So turn your attention now to facial muscles. Pinch them into activity, starting at the base of the neck and working up over the cheeks. If the skin tends to be dry, cover the face with nourishing

cream and pinch it into the skin. Be sure to use the skin cream that is the really correct one for your particular type of skin and for remedying your blemishes.

There is a cream for the woman who merely wishes to nourish her skin but not in any way fatten her face. There is a very rich cream for the woman who wishes to round her face and fill out the hollows.

In addition, you might also need muscle oil to soften deep lines and wrinkles and build up the muscles, or a special cream to be tapped in very gently round the eyes to erase crow's-feet and wrinkles.

The Mirror Will Tell You

Be frank about your own face. Look squarely in the mirror. Decide what it needs. Then give it the right treatment.

Incidentally, a masque once a week is essential at this time of the year to keep the pores well cleansed. I know of one that stings like a million little devils when applied and leaves you looking pure as a little angel.

Now for make-up. Since you have decided to be beautiful it is always wise to take steps to make other people notice the improvement. Nothing equals a new make-up towards that desired end.

## Change Your Complexion

If you have been a pink-and-white beauty for years past, decide to go all cream and carmine, or tanned and mandarin. Blondes

to-day look most effective with deep tan powder and more than a hint

of orange in rouge and lipstick.

I always vote for peach powder for the fair-skinned, brown-haired brunette. For the brunette with very fair skin and black hair nothing quite equals rachel powder with just a hint of blue in the rouge.

And for the darker brunettes deep peach or tan powder with deep carmine rouge and lipstick is best.

## NECKLINES AND SLEEVES

## The Square Bid-Line Is Becoming

Necklines and sleeves are full of charm. The square bid-line is becoming when square shoulders happen to suit or a slim effect can be acquired. A deep "V" and slightly cascading reverse on either side are also good. The small high military collar and the old Peter Pan are only for youth, and so, as a rule, is the clear bateau line. Sleeves that suit all figures are the long-sleeved style.

Very new are the fuller puffed three-quarter or small bishop's sleeves. These again are for the slim. The newer open three-quarter sleeves are comfortable and becoming. For the neat wool frock it is best to adhere to simple sleeves and a becoming neckline, of which no one tires, adding an extra jabot or new belt when change is desired.

## INDIVIDUALITY IN NECKLINES

Necklines can be given individuality by means of smart scarves, collars, and jabots—bear this in mind when you are giving winter dresses another month's lease of life before spring.



## Grease Solvents

The cleaning of upholstered furniture is simplified by using grease solvents; water would be most unsuitable, as it would penetrate the stuffing and probably ruin the top cover. In cleaning with spirit there is no likelihood of this happening, and the spirit being very volatile, "drying" takes little time.

## VELVET

Velvet, especially the uncrushable type, is a material always worth looking for in sales. A seven-yards length will make the evening cloak skinned here, with its little detachable jacket, which can be worn separately.

## CLING FIT

Milanese undies have a clinging fit which makes them effective beneath evening gowns.

## QUILTED WAISTCOAT

Quilted waistcoat in rayon satin, neat and warm, would be ideal for motoring.

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## BERETS HAVE BEEN STOWED AWAY

London.

The fur peaked cap is most popular with English girls at St. Moritz,

who wear their hair parted on one side and a long bob of curly hair at the back.

Frenchwomen wear the fur skull cap, while Russians and Hungarians like the cuffed Cossack shape. Crocheted Crusader bonnets are also seen, and a boat shape something resembling the Scotch Glen-garry.

Berets have been stowed away.

## ACCESSORIES IN GREAT VARIETY

Belts and other accessories are cheap and in great variety. Have a list of the dresses in your wardrobe with you when shopping—to put a brake on indiscriminate purchasing.

## YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

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4-A constipation  
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## COMPANY MEETINGS

HONG KONG & SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN  
that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., 18, Pedder Street, Hong Kong, on SATURDAY, the 23rd February, 1935, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1934.

The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from Monday, the 11th February to Saturday the 23rd February 1935 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
V. M. GRAYBURN,  
Chief Manager.  
Hong Kong, 1st February, 1935.

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## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FORTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on THURSDAY, the 7th March, 1935, AT NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December 1934.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 22nd February, 1935 to THURSDAY, the 7th March, 1935, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
F. H. CRAPNELL,  
Secretary.  
Hong Kong, 14th February, 1935.

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## BRIDGE NOTES

STUDY YOUR  
LEAD!

by Elie Culbertson

In the struggle of suits, which characterises the play of any hand at Contract Bridge, time is the most precious advantage either side can gain. From the first lead to the last, the play of the cards represents a race. Each side is trying to establish its cards as winners, and to do so with the greatest of haste so that actual tricks may be won before the enemy has had an opportunity to win whatever number of tricks may be the goal set for them by the inviolable limits of the final contract. The element of time is not so important when there are no trump suit as when there are no trumps, for every little trump card will finally prevent the loss of a trick even to an Ace, while at notrump only high honours can prevent the opponents from winning tricks in their best suit. The opening lead is therefore of the greatest importance, since it is one additional time unit in the race to establish winning cards. That is the reason—and a very good reason it is—why it is usually important to lead the longest suit when the opponents are playing the hand at notrump. If there is sufficient time, the small cards of that suit, even though they be deuces and treys, will soon have outlasted the powerful Aces and Kings, and will win tricks unopposed.

In the interesting hand below, the right to lead first made a difference in the play of the hand of two tricks, and caused a game contract to be defeated instead of being made with an overtrick.

South, Dealer  
Both sides vulnerable

North—

S—4 2  
H—9 5 4 3  
D—10 6 3 2  
C—8 7 4

West—

S—8 7 6 5 3  
H—A 8  
D—A 7 5  
C—A 9 6

East—

S—J 10 9  
H—10 7 6 2  
D—9 8 4  
C—5 3 2

South—

S—A K Q  
H—K Q J  
D—K Q J  
C—K Q J 10

The bidding:

South: West: North: East:  
SNT: Pass: Pass: Pass.

South's opening three-notrump bid was somewhat ill advised—a two-club bid would have been much sounder. But South felt that the hand would surely be played at three notrump in any suit unless North was strong enough to make a Slam try; and being a bold, over-aggressive player, he boomed out the game bid immediately.

West opened the five of spades, and by this play settled South's fate, for the element of time was too great for even South's galaxy of honour to overcome. Three times South, in order to establish his winning tricks in hearts, diamonds and clubs, was forced to relinquish the lead to one of West's Aces. On the opening lead South was reduced to a double spade stopper. He led the club King, and West, winning the Ace, played another spade, which left South with only one remaining stopper. South took his three club tricks and played a diamond, whereupon West won the Ace and drove out South's last spade stopper. Now South could win two tricks in diamonds which made eight in all that he had won, but when he led the heart King and established two winning hearts for himself, he found that he was forced to discard them without gain on West's two remaining spades.

The opening lead was the decisive tempo allowing the contract to be defeated: one trick. Had

South made the first lead, there would have been insufficient time for West to establish his fourth and fifth spades and South would have won ten tricks instead of eight.

BRITAIN'S NEW AERODROMES

(Continued from Page 7.)



Little Manfred Hauptmann forgot his father's absence on Christmas when Santa Claus visited him at his Flemington, N.J. boarding house, only a mile from the court where Bruno Hauptmann was being found guilty of the slaying of the Lindbergh baby.

## PURE DEMOCRACY

(Continued from Page 8.)

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wave length of 866 metres (845 K.C.'s):

## PIANOFORTE RECITAL FROM THE STUDIO

Z.E.K. Programme 12.30-2.10 p.m.—European Programme

12.30 p.m.—London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations, Manila Gold Stock Quotations.

12.35-1 p.m.—Recorded Music.

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.00 p.m.—Recorded Music.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

6-8 p.m.—European Programme.

6-6 p.m.—A Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden (by courtesy of the Management).

6.30-9 p.m.—Children's Studio Concert.

6.30-7 p.m.—A Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden (by courtesy of the Management).

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.30-7.30 p.m.—Light Opera and Musical Comedy.

Song—The Pipe of Pan ("The Arcadians") (Monckton)

Winnie Melville (Soprano).

Vocal Gems—Ruddigore (Gilbert & Sullivan) Selection—Song of the Flame (The Cuckoos (Ruby))

Vocal Gems—C. B. Cochran's 1930 Revue 7.30-8 p.m.—From the Studio.

1. A Pianoforte Recital by Nure Kania.

1. Carnaval ..... Schumann.

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

8.00-10.30 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert.

9.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, London 1 p.m.—Stock and Commodity Quotations.

10.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further London Stock and Commodity Quotations.

10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

8.30-10 p.m.—European Recorded Music from Z.B.E. on a Frequency of 640 K.C.'s.

8.30-9 p.m.—A Concert.

Pianoforte Solo—Polonaise in E flat (Chopin) Jose Echaniz.

Songs—My Dearest Heart (Sullivan)

A Summer Night (Thomas)

Doris Vane (Soprano).

Song—

Chu Chin Chow—The Cobbler's Song (Norton)

Son and Stranger—I'm a Roamer (Mendelssohn)

Malcolm McEachern (Bass).

Violin Solo—

Shepherd's Madrigal (Kreisler)

Fritz Kreisler.

8.30-9.30 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.

Cardas from "The Spirit of the Voyevode" (Grossmann).

The Charina (Ganne).

Songs without words—Potpourri.

A Little Love, A Little Kiss (Silesian).

Bird Songs at Eventide (Eric Coates).

Gipsy Moon (Horenoff).

8.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletin, London 1 p.m.—Stock and Commodity Quotations.

8.35-10 p.m.—

1. Vocal Duets—Night on the Water

The Old Covered Bridge

Layton and Johnstone.

2. Piano Solos—

Nymph Errant—Selection.

There's a Ring around the moon

Carroll Gibbons and John W.

Green.

3. Vocal Duets—

Mood Indigo

I Cover the Waterfront

Layton and Johnstone.

4. Piano Solos—

I Want a Fair and Square Man

Ain't She the Dainty

Carroll Gibbons and John W.

Green.

10 p.m.—Close Down.

## Amusements

## Cinema Notes

## HAVE A HEART—QUEEN'S THEATRE

"Have a Heart" Jean Parker's first starring vehicle for the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios is the current attraction at the Queen's Theatre. It is truly a great love story—its romance will stir the heart of every spectator with sympathetic interest.

The wholesome theme of the picture concerns the regeneration of a crippled girl through a romance that gives her the will to overcome her handicap—and marry the man of her heart.

Into the simple plot are packed comedy, pathos, tragedy, hope and courage, with the colourful background of New York's lower east-side "Ghetto" district.

"As Sally, the young dancer, who is forced to take up doll-making for a living after a tragic accident, Miss Parker has a role ideally suited to the vivid warmth of her screen personality.

The male lead is played by James Dunn, who gives sympathetic warmth to the part of Jimmie Flaherty, vendor of ice cream, who sells his goods in heart shapes for a nickel, but finds one heart he couldn't buy or sell for a million dollars.

Comedy highlights are provided by Una Merkel and Stuart Erwin.

## 20TH CENTURY—KING'S THEATRE

For the first time in his screen career John Barrymore is featured in a full-length comedy, "20th Century," a Columbia release, now at the King's Theatre.

Written by Ben Hecht and Charles MacArthur, the picture tells the story of an eccentric, self-centred and eccentric theatrical producer, and his efforts to sign up a contract a great stage star, Lily Garland. She has previously been in his employ and will have nothing to do with him. The producer finally tricks her into signing, but only after resorting to stratagems that are highly hilarious.

Mr. Oliver does not name the intelligent of Socialism whom he describes. But there are not patriots, but avowed anti-patriots, who desire that England should be a model of meekness and complacency, existing only on sufferance. An England that is strong, that stands foursquare to all the winds that blow, master of its fate and resolute, is an idea that makes their hearts sick."

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# Sporting Page



## BOUGHTON'S PENALTY GOAL SAVES ENGLAND FROM DISASTER



### TRIANGULAR HOCKEY WIN FOR ARMY CLUB TROUNCED BY FASTER TEAM

RODGER AND GREGORY SHINE

JACK RODGER, SKIPPER OF THE SIDE, SAVED THE CLUB FROM A GREATER DEFEAT THAN 5 GOALS TO 1 IN THE TRIANGULAR HOCKEY TOURNAMENT AT KING'S PARK YESTERDAY. HIS FEARLESS TACKLING IN THE FACE OF OVERWHELMING ODDS SAVING MANY DESPERATE SITUATIONS.

The Club, who played for the first 10 minutes with only 10 men, J. E. Potter arriving late, and with S. Reed, a reserve forward, who substituted for G. E. R. Divett, who was unable to play owing to a injured finger received at cricket, played a very uninspiring game, their forwards being particularly listless. The only players to shine were Lay, in the first half, and Teiley, in the second, but their movements were unsupported.

The combination in the Army forward line was the outstanding feature of the game, and Rodger, the Club back, was the only player to offer any opposition.

On several occasions they swept from one end of the field to the other, only to be checked by either Rodger, or Gregory, who played a remarkably good game, in goal.

The Club were lucky to have had a good defence, for their forward line, without Divett, had no life in it.

#### Gregory's Great Game

Gregory, in goal, played one of his most outstanding games of the season, clearing with well placed kicks and hits. He made a great effort to save every shot which came his way, and could not be blamed for the five that passed him.

Rodger, at right-back, played a splendid game, being conspicuous for his interceptions, which broke up many determined Army attacks. His reverse-stick clearances were also unusually accurate. He had his hands full in looking after the Army left-wing combination, Lal Singh and Kartar Singh, and, although he lacked their speed, his anticipation played a big part in checking their play to a certain extent.

E. V. Reed played well below his usual standard, wild hitting giving away several short corners. Garthwaite was too good for him and outpaced him in every move.

#### "Willy" Reed's Good Defence

The Club half-back line lacked combination and had it not been for W. A. Reed they would have been practically useless against the Army forwards. Reed played his usual steady game, but his passes were not as accurate as usual. He however, held Senior well.

Yankee is now laid up near Boston, where a complete new interior is being built in her.

British criticisms during last year's Newport races of Rainbow's alleged deficient living quarters have not been forgotten, and there will be no question about the comfort or weight of Yankee's cabin fittings when she appears at Cowes.

**YANKEE'S VISIT TO ENGLAND IN TWO MONTH'S TIME**  
**TO RACE AGAINST THE ENDEAVOUR**

FIRST BIG U. S. YACHT TO VISIT SINCE 1894

New York. Mr. Gerard Lambert's famous sloop Yankee, which is to race in English waters this year against Endeavour and other big yachts, will leave Boston early in April.

Yankee, the first U.S. yacht of America's Cup class to compete abroad since Vigilant's unsuccessful venture in foreign waters in 1894, will be escorted by the three-masted auxiliary schooner Atlantic, in which the owner will travel.

#### To Have Steel Mast

Yankee will have a yawl rig for the ocean trip, with her spars sails cut down to much smaller than normal racing size. A complete set of new racing canvas is now being made for her at Ratsey's yard, and she will also be equipped with a new steel mast and a set of steel-rod rigging, rigging similar to that used by Endeavour last summer.

Mr. Lambert has invited Mr. Charles Adams, skipper of Resolute in 1920; Mr. Frank Paine, who designed Yankee; and Mr. George Nichols, former commander of the New York Yacht Club, to race with him.

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**FASTER BOAT THAN RAINBOW?**

No "International Duels"

(By Major H. Heckstall-Smith) Yankee may be expected in England in time to take part in the opening regatta at Harwich on June 1. She is likely to remain for the rest of the season and sail about 40 races along the English coast, including the Cowes week from Aug. 3 to 10, and finishing at Dartmouth on Aug. 31.

Last year the Yankee, owned by a Boston syndicate and steered by Mr. Charles Francis Adams, was the closest possible competitor against Rainbow in the trials for the defence of the America's Cup. Many judges considered her a faster boat than Rainbow, but the latter was, possibly more trustworthy.

Mr. Gerard Lambert, her new diving champion, has accepted the invitation of Highgate Diving Club to tour England and the Continent next Summer.

#### LONSDALE CUP TO AMATEUR CUEIST

Lord Lonsdale, president of the Billiards Association and Control Council, is to present the cup to the new amateur champion after the final at Burroughes Hall on March 22.

#### ACROBATIC DIVER FOR ENGLAND

Al Phillips, Canadian acrobatic diver, is especially anxious to sail in the English regatta with a

#### TALL AUSTRALIAN POLICEMAN KNOCKS HIMSELF OUT

Struck on Chin By Tennis Racquet During Match

"Who hit me?" exclaimed Constable Ted Pratt, a 6 ft. 2 in. Sydney policeman, as he emerged from a three-minute spell of unconsciousness at the Katoomba municipal tennis courts recently. Then it was explained to him that he had hit himself, that in playing the chin, with his racquet, knocking himself out.

#### RECREO WIN AT BADMINTON

**Sailors' And Soldiers' Home Beaten**

Playing in the "B" Division of the Men's Doubles Badminton League at King's Park last night the Recreco defeated the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home by 7 games to 2.

A. E. Colling and W. H. Saunders, the visitors' No. 1 pair, were the strongest combination for their team, winning two games.

The scores were:—

A. E. Xavier and N. Beltrao (Recreco) lost to A. E. Collins and W. H. Saunders ... 13—21  
beat W. H. Smith and Yang Chan ... 21—21  
beat R. H. Clarke and M. Bussey ... 21—11  
L. A. Silva and A. Silva (Recreco) beat Colling and Saunders ... 21—10  
beat Smith and Yang Chan ... 21—1  
beat Clarke and Bussey ... 21—21  
B. Gosano and L. Silva (Recreco) lost to Colling and Saunders ... 21—24  
beat Smith and Yang Chan ... 21—4  
beat Clarke and Bussey ... 21—18

#### "KID" BERG TO MEET LOCATELLI

**Italian Boxer Who Has Won Twice**

#### POSSIBLE PRELIMINARY TO TITLE FIGHT

London. "Kid" Berg, the man America said was "finished," is now set firmly on the road back to the top.

His reward for a grand display of courage and attacking skill, which enabled him to beat the French champion, Gustave Humery, is a match with Cleto Locatelli, champion of Italy. They meet at the Albert Hall this month.

#### Match Is Important

The match is important. Locatelli, despite an unexpected defeat recently by Humery, has been invited to go to America and box for the world's title against Barney Ross.

Locatelli has beaten Berg twice in 1933 and 1934, but both defeats were during the period of Berg's slump, from which he is now reviving.

**May Too Selfish**

Owen Hughes, on the right-wing, was starved, but the little he did was unimpressive. Lay at centre-forward, attempted many solo efforts, but soon found that the Army full-backs were too good for him. On one or two occasions he had hard luck with shots at goal. He was well supported by Tetley, who combined well.

Mackay, on the left-wing, gave a very disappointing display. At good at inside-right.

**Army Score First**

The Army early took up the offensive but it was 12 minutes before they scored.

In the absence of Potter, S. Reed played at right-half for the Club, and managed to check most of the movements of Kartar Singh and Lal Singh. The first goal came off Senior's stick. He made a clever run through the defence and netted after Gregory had run out.

The next goal followed soon afterwards when Alaf Din secured the ball on the circle's edge, immediately in front of the goal, and scored into the corner of the net.

After this, the Club rallied and in the result of a determined attack, the ball was deflected into the goal from Khan Bahadur's

#### STANDINGS TO DATE

	Goals	P.W.	L	D	V.A.	Pts
Army Club	3	2	1	0	12	6
Navy	3	1	1	0	6	3

## RECORD CROWD SEE RUGBY CLASSIC

### ENGLAND BACKS FAIL TO BREAK THROUGH

#### GREAT TACKLING FEATURES GAME

(By V. G. DAVIES)

A SPLENDID PENALTY GOAL BY BOUGHTON TEN MINUTES FROM THE END ENABLED ENGLAND TO DRAW WITH WALES BEFORE A RECORD CROWD AT TWICKENHAM IN THE SEASON'S FIRST INTERNATIONAL. WOOLLER HAD SCORED AN UNCONVERTED TRY JUST AFTER HALFTIME, AND A DRAW WAS REALLY A VERY FITTING RESULT.

As we expected, the English forwards were the better, but the Welsh backs had more thrust about them. However, nobody was ever allowed to get far with the ball, the covering of both sides being exceptionally good and the tackling better and fiercer than I can remember seeing for a long time.

THE ENGLISH FORWARDS GOT THE BALL SO REGULARLY THAT THEY WERE BOUND TO BE MORE OFTEN ON THE OFFENSIVE, BUT IT WAS OBVIOUS FROM THE START THAT POWELL, SKY AND REES WERE NOT GOING TO ALLOW GILES TO SETTLE DOWN IF THEY COULD POSSIBLY PREVENT IT.

Taking every advantage of the tackle allowed them by the referee, they worried Giles to such an extent that he was nothing like as good as he had been in the final trial. To his slowness in getting the ball away must be attributed much of the ineffective English midfield play.

But I doubt if Giles will ever have a more difficult task than he had in this match. Powell is so big and strong that he is very difficult to contend with, and he certainly justified his inclusion, if only for his spoiling work.

Listen to him, answering the taunt of Mr. Walter Merrill Hall, the American L.T.A.'s president, that there are doubles teams as good as the Stoefen-Lott combination:

"What other teams are almost as good? Can those boys, Gene Mako and Donald Budge, win the American and Wimbledon championships and the Davis Cup challenge round doubles in one year? I won't believe it until they do."

Experience Counts

Stinging the mule all the way, Stoefen—now turned professional with Lott—adds:

"With Lott and me there the Americans would have been assured of at least one point in any trophy series. But with Mako and Budge they will not be certain. It takes experience to win tournaments, and those youngsters have not had it."

There is nothing boastful about Stoefen's candour, the records show how perfectly true every word of it is. Truth is, of course, the best褒賞. America will be delighted to have Stoefen and Lott for the Davis Cup were they not in the money-ranks.

#### BABE RUTH BACK HOME

Royally Welcomed By Large Crowd

#### PLAYER'S CONTRACT?

New York. To-day Babe Ruth, former baseball star of the world, returned here yesterday from Paris and was royally welcomed by a throng of reporters, friends, and baseball enthusiasts.

Ruth is uncertain regarding his plans, and is even considering a player's contract. "One thing is certain—if I sign a player's contract this year it will have to be as regular and not pinch-hitter," he said.

He insisted that he did not want to leave baseball and was anxious to get back into uniform, and hinted that he has a proposition under consideration, refusing to specify the offer, beyond saying that it was to do with big league baseball.

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Mrs. Front leads in Pontiac Bay (Mr. L. G. Front) after his success in the Grand Stand Stakes yesterday. Mr. L. Dunbar, the leading owner, is seen on the right. (King's Studio).

## "FEAR" CUP ON SUNDAY

### Draw For Kowloon Golf Club Event

The following is the draw for the "Fear" Cup to be played over 36 holes, medal play on Handicap, on Sunday at the Kowloon Golf Club:

9.00—J. G. Charlton v. H. Mundy.  
9.04—W. Stoker v. W. Groves.

9.12—A. A. Andrews v. W. Ahern.

9.16—E. D. da Rosa v. W. Stewart.

9.20—A. W. da Rosa v. W. Taylor.

9.24—T. Seddon v. E. H. Watt (15).

9.25—E. F. Barnes v. D. M. Cameron.

9.32—T. Gellatly v. R. Henderson.

9.36—T. Henderson v. J. L. Rapley.

9.40—R. Collings v. C. G. Anderson.

9.44—W. J. Wooley v. J. J. King.

9.52—J. M. Martin v. D. Parsons.

9.56—W. Hirsh v. A. A. Lopes.

10.00—C. R. Rose v. W. Geall.

10.04—W. Excell v. J. G. Meyer.

10.08—H. C. Bonner v. W. Kerahaw.

10.12—A. Eastman v. W. Simpson.

The afternoon's first pair will start at 1.45.

Stewards of the course—H. H. Mundy, R. Henderson, and A. Eastman.

#### CAPTAIN'S CUP

The following is the draw for the Captain's Cup First Round, to be played on March 2.

R. Henderson v. R. K. Collings.

G. Milne v. W. Taylor.

L. D. Purves v. W. Hirsh.

W. C. Simpson v. D. C. Wilson.

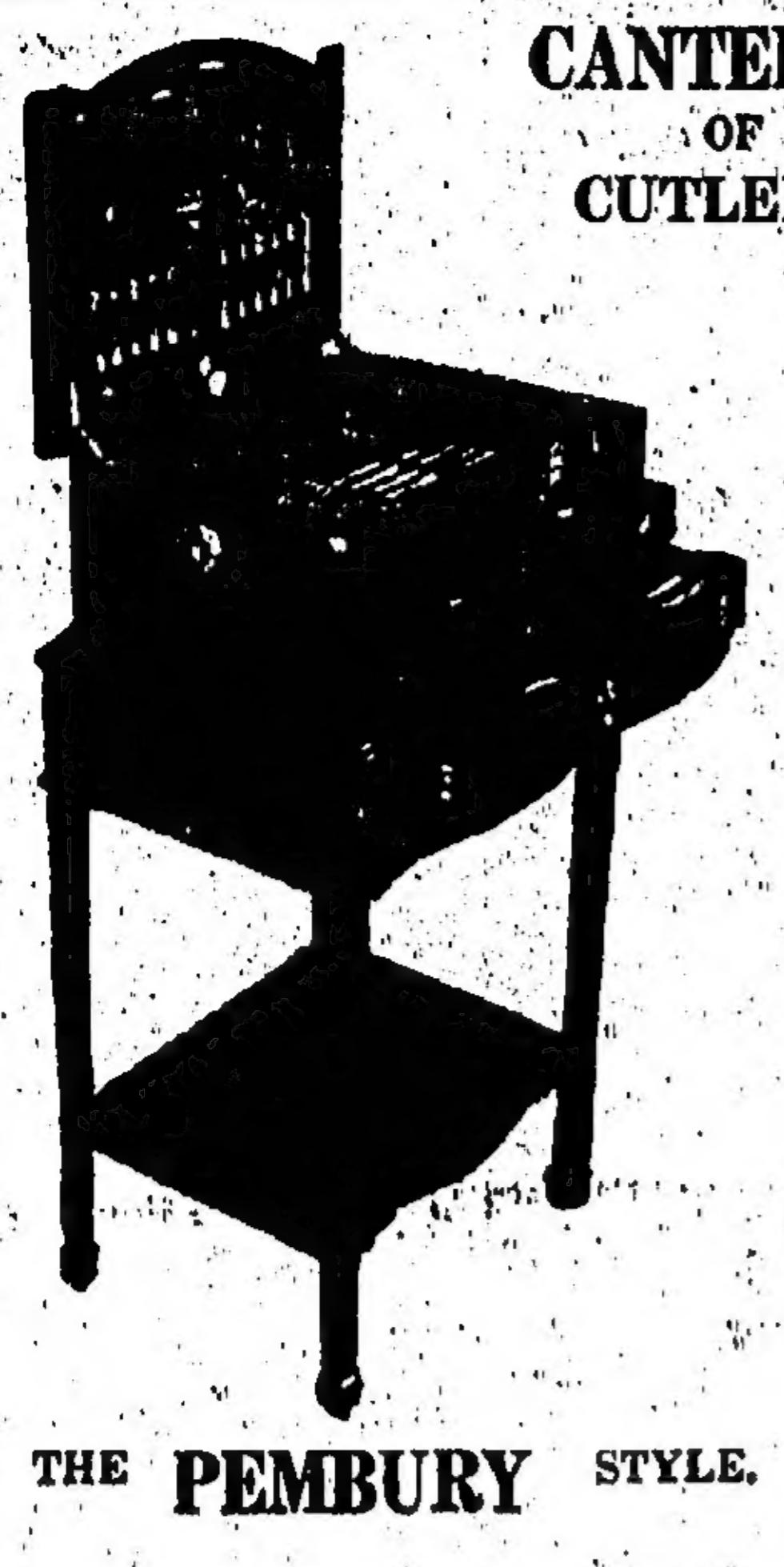
E. O. Murphy v. S. Macnider.

F. C. Barry v. W. J. Wooley.

F. E. A. Remedios v. A. J. Dennis.

J. G. Charlton v. W. Ahern.

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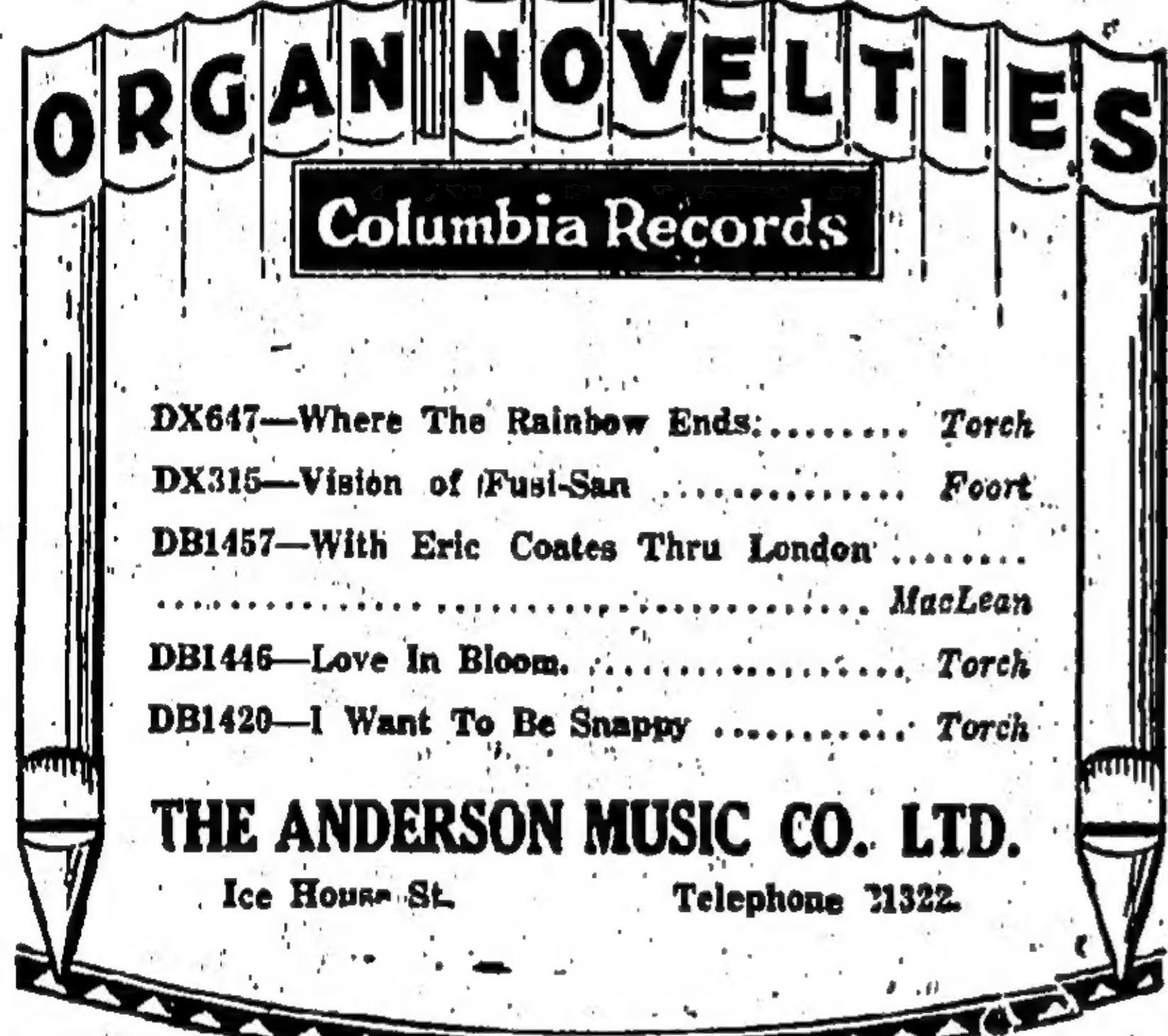
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HOW THE OWNERS  
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The following is how the owners have fared during the first four days of the Annual Meeting:

1st 2nd 3rd

Dunbar ..... 4 0 0

Dynasty ..... 5 3 6

Eu Tong Sen ..... 5 2 1

Li Shiu Pang ..... 3 3 2

Mrs. Pearce ..... 0 0 0

Hem ..... 3 0 0

Kwok Hing-Wang ..... 2 0 0

L. Reidy ..... 2 0 0

L. T. F. ..... 1 4 0

Lan ..... 1 3 1

Kong Bros. ..... 1 2 6

Choiced ..... 1 2 6

E. S. K. ..... 1 2 6

Leong Kwok Cheong ..... 1 1 1

Tester and Abraham ..... 1 1 1

A. M. L. Soares ..... 1 1 1

J. F. McGregor ..... 1 0 0

Ho Kong Tong ..... 0 0 0

Wonder ..... 0 0 0

C. S. Wong ..... 1 0 0

H. Y. Liang ..... 1 0 0

Dr. S. N. Chau ..... 0 0 0

Fatshan ..... 1 0 0

Lee ..... 0 0 0

Leo and Ho ..... 1 0 0

Mackie & Grayburn ..... 0 3 3

Seth ..... 0 0 0

Hall and Shanton ..... 0 2 0

Dr. Li Shiu Kee ..... 0 2 0

K. Neekelman ..... 1 1 1

Li and Li ..... 0 1 1

Lewis and Tinson ..... 1 1 1

Manx ..... 1 0 0

Weke ..... 1 0 0

L. F. C. ..... 1 1 1

Pau ..... 1 0 0

Longfellow ..... 0 0 0

S. L. K. ..... 0 0 0

Wong Chi Po ..... 0 0 0

Chan Wing Yung ..... 0 0 0

A. M. L. Soares ..... 0 0 0

Harbrad ..... 0 0 0

Mrs. Mackie ..... 0 0 0

C. B. Brown ..... 0 0 0

Mrs. Tinson ..... 0 0 0

Li Po Chun ..... 0 0 0

Dr. J. C. McGowan ..... 0 0 0

Li and Ho ..... 1 0 0

HOW THE JOCKEYS  
FARED

The following is how the jockeys fared during the first four days of the Annual Race Meeting:

1 2 3 Un.

L. G. Frost ..... 12 7 2 19

V. V. Needa ..... 8 7 4 12

F. Marshall ..... 8 4 8 12

H. C. Pih ..... 3 4 2 27

C. Escarnacao ..... 3 3 1 15

D. S. Li ..... 3 2 6 15

W. H. S. Davis ..... 3 0 3 19

B. L. Tao ..... 2 5 0 27

S. Y. Sun ..... 2 3 3 24

Y. T. Fung ..... 2 0 6 20

A. J. P. Heard ..... 1 1 2 18

P. K. T. Ho ..... 1 0 3 1

G. Neugebauer ..... 1 0 2 17

F. P. Botelho ..... 0 2 3 17

N. Deltz ..... 0 2 3 17

E. O. Butler ..... 0 2 1 15

A. P. Preulix ..... 0 1 2 22

D. Black ..... 0 1 0 11

W. H. Choi ..... 0 1 0 4

S. W. Tang ..... 0 0 1 4

R. M. Wong ..... 0 0 0 1

Y. W. Wai ..... 0 0 0 1

K. W. Fung ..... 0 0 0 1

A. D. Coppel ..... 0 0 0 1

H. A. Botelho ..... 0 0 0 1

E. H. Carvalho ..... 0 0 0 1

F. Lobel ..... 0 0 0 1

G. W. Sewell ..... 0 0 0 1

T. T. Man Wa ..... 0 0 0 5

C. Talyor ..... 0 0 0 5

R. H. Charles ..... 0 0 0 8

A. Wall ..... 0 0 0 11

S. N. Pan ..... 0 0 0 12

A. A. R. Botelho ..... 0 0 0 13

H. P. Chanson ..... 0 0 0 16

There were two dead-heats for first place and one for third place.

## Local Jockeys Secure The Three Classics

### Mr. Frost's Big Lead In, Jockeys' Race

MR. Leo Frost completed the local jockeys' triumphs when he won the Champions yesterday on Mr. L. Dunbar's Liberty Bay — Mr. Davis won the Derby on Mr. Hem's Herod, and Mr. Fung won the Rooty Hill Derby on Mr. L. Reidy's Cold Morning.

With 12 wins in 40 starts Mr. Frost appears well set for the jockey's championship this year, thus taking up a sequence which was broken last year by Home leave. Mr. L. Dunbar is again likely to carry all before him in the owners' list, despite Diana Bay's fall from grace.

Below will be found a comprehensive summary of the first four days' racing giving the times, weights and jockeys of all placed ponies.

#### CHINA PONIES

#### 1 MILE 171 YARDS

24.8—Diana Bay (Frost) 158 lb.; and Trentbridge (Marshall) 161 lb.; Dead heat, many lengths.

22.0—Seventeenth of September (Frost) 158 lb.; Lucky Strike (Needa) 155 lb.; Invermark (Neugebauer) 155 lb.  $\frac{1}{2}$  length and 2.

19.0—Belmont Star (Li) 158 lb.; Matinee Idol (Needa) 152 lb.; What About That (Deitz) 152 lb. 1 lb.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lengths and 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

21.7—Bistro (Tao) 161 lb.; Delightful Chance (Sun) 159 lb.; Young Chap (Ho) 167 lb. Length and  $\frac{1}{2}$  length.

21.6—Rose-Queen (Needa) 161 lb.; Pontine Bay (Frost) 164 lb.; short head and 2.

13.1—Pontiac Bay (Frost) 161 lb.; High Honour (Tao) 161 lb.; Ythan (P. Botelho) 158 lb.  $\frac{1}{2}$  length and short head.

21.8—King's Jubilee (Marshall) 168 lb.; Popular Star (Li) 165 lb.; Roussea (Needa) 168 lb. Length and 3 lengths.

13.1—Rousseau (Needa) 161 lb.; High Honour (Tao) 161 lb.; Ythan (P. Botelho) 158 lb. Head and  $\frac{1}{2}$  length.

23.7—King's Jubilee (Marshall) 161 lb.; Mistake Bay (Frost) 161 lb. length and short head.

13.2—Lucky Strike (Needa) 155 lb.; Soldier of Peace (Sun) 161 lb.; The Chetah (Frost) 158 lb.; Wadebridge (Marshall) 161 lb. 2 lengths short head.

23.2—Cossack's Beauty (Pih) 162 lb.; King's Warden (Marshall) 153 lb.; Sadko (Needa) 163 lb. Head and neck.

23.7—King's Bounty (Marshall) 165 lb.; Ribble (P. Botelho) 165 lb.; Don (Sun) 160 lb.  $\frac{1}{2}$  length and half a length.

13.0—Pontiac Bay (Frost) 168 lb.; Ythan (P. Botelho) 158 lb.; Flirt (Neugebauer) 158 lb. Head and short head.

23.9—Victoria Hall (Encarnacao) 158 lb.; Soldier of Victory (Sun) 163 lb.; Arctic Star (Li) 168 lb. Head and length.

23.2—Liberty Bay (Frost) 168 lb.; King's Justice (Marshall) 163 lb.; Sadko (Needa) 163 lb. Many lengths and 2  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

24.5—Seventeenth of September (Frost) 152 lb.; Lucky Strike (Needa) 155 lb.; Belmont Star (Li) 158 lb.  $\frac{1}{4}$  lengths and  $\frac{1}{2}$ .

22.1—Sadko (Needa) 161 lb.; King's Warden (Marshall) 163 lb.; New Star (Li) 161 lb. Two lengths and two lengths.

2.53—Liberty Bay (Frost) 161 lb.; Sadko (Needa) 161 lb. Many lengths and 2 lengths.

1.55—Liberty Bay (Frost) 161 lb.; Cossack's Beauty (Pih) 162 lb.; New Star (Li) 150 lb. Many and 2 lengths.

3.09.3—Herod (Davis) 161 lb.; Rose-Queen (Needa) 158 lb.; King's Jubilee (Marshall) 161 lb.; Bold Major (Li) 156 lb.  $\frac{1}{2}$  length and a neck.

2.62.2—Invincible Knight (Encarnacao) 158 lb.; The Deemster (Hearn) 155 lb.; Bold Major (Li) 156 lb.  $\frac{1}{2}$  length and short head.

3.42.0—Diana Bay (Frost) 158 lb.; and King's Warden (Marshall) 161 lb.; Hetman (Davis) 155 lb. Dead heat and 2 lengths.

2.02.3—Mistake Bay (Frost) 161 lb.; High Honour (Tao) 161 lb.; Soldier of Victory (Sun) 161 lb.; Dead heat and  $\frac{1}{2}$  length.

3.14.1—Invincible Knight (Encarnacao) 168 lb.; Sci-fa (Pih) 165 lb.; Propitious Time (Deitz) 158 lb. Two lengths and  $\frac{1}{2}$  length.

3.15.1—Gladiator (Davis) 165 lb.; Ribble (Needa) 155 lb.; The Tiger (Butler) 155 lb. Two lengths and 2 lengths.

2.02.1—Soldier of Germany (F. Li) 160 lb.; Bright View (Choy) 160 lb.; New Star (Tang) 150 lb. 3 lengths and 2 lengths.

1.20.1—Rose Ann (Needa) 152 lb.; The Bean Goose (Frost) 150 lb.; New Star (Tang) 150 lb. 3 lengths and 2 lengths.

1.58.4—Herod (Davis) 168 lb.; Rose-Queen (Needa) 165 lb.; King's Jubilee (Marshall) 163 lb. 3 lengths and a neck.

1.17.2—Robinal Star (Li) 165 lb.; Night Star



# STRANGE CONTRAST BETWEEN TWO GREAT WOMEN FLIERS

## EUROPEAN CHARGED AND DISCHARGED

Obstruction On Foot-Path  
COMPANY NOT INDIVIDUAL AT FAULT

Appearing before Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, Mr. H. H. Mundy, of Messrs. Dodwell and Company, residing at No. 26, Hankow Road, top floor, pleaded not guilty to two summonses against him, for creating a nuisance by throwing a quantity of house rubbish into the street from No. 20, Hankow Road at 12.45 p.m. on January 29, and for causing obstruction by leaving a large packing case on the foot path of Hankow Road at the same time, but after the evidence of the Indian constable he was discharged on both counts.

In his evidence the constable stated that at about 12.10 p.m. on the day in question he was on duty in Hankow Road when he saw five coolies with a large packing case and a frigidaire on the foot path. He went up to them and cautioned them to remove the box. When he returned about half an hour later the box was still there, and he saw a coolie throw some rubbish on to the road. He arrested the coolie and after making him pick the rubbish up started to take him to the police station.

On arriving at the junction of Peking Road and Hankow Road, the constable said the defendant stopped him and released the coolie and asked what the matter was. The constable handed his book to the defendant and asked him, in English, to put down his name and address, which the defendant did. At 4 p.m. on the same day, when he went off duty, he reported the matter to Inspector Stimson, who is in charge of the Water Police Station.

### Makes Enquiries

Mr. Mundy then said that he lived three doors away from the scene, where a job was being done by Dodwell and Company, but not by his department. He had passed the constable outside the Star Theatre with the coolie in his custody, but paid no attention to it thinking that it was just an ordinary affair. He later saw the driver from Dodwell's lorry, whom he recognised, running towards the policeman, so he stopped and watched. A long conversation took place between the driver, coolie, and constable, after which they all returned to the spot where the coolie was alleged to have thrown the rubbish.

He went up to them and enquired as to the reason for the trouble. The constable tried to explain in Chinese, but the defendant made it understood that he did not know what he was speaking about, whereupon the constable took out his book and gave it to the defendant saying "Put name book". The defendant concluded by saying that he never saw any box on the footpath.

In discharging the defendant His Worship stated that Dodwell's should have been summoned with the obstruction, instead of Mr. Mundy.

Inspector Stimson: "Shall I proceed to take a summons out against Dodwell?"

His Worship: "I am not instructing you."

### LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada, after her annual overhaul, will berth at the Kowloon Wharf at 9.30 a.m. to-morrow, prior to sailing at 7 a.m. next Tuesday.

An unclaimed telegram for Downe Williamson, from Singapore, is lying at the Eastern Extension Telegraph Co., Ltd.

Sentence of two months' hard labour was this morning imposed on Wong Chat, a kept woman, of No. 11, Tai Wong Street, East, by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy, for the larceny of six gold finger rings, a wrist watch, and some clothing.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia is due here from Shanghai next Thursday at 10 a.m. and will leave for Manila at 6 p.m. on the same day.

An attempt to rob a Chinese detective in plain clothes in a tram



Jimmie Doolittle, one-time speed king of the United States Army air corps, stopped setting transcontinental records because his wife thought it was too dangerous. She was flying with him when he set a new record for spanning the country by flying from Glendale, California, to New York in 17 hours and 59 minutes. He is seen helping her from the ship (inset) on their arrival.

## MAJOR DOOLITTLE IN NEW RECORD CROSSES AMERICA IN LESS THAN 12 HOURS

### RICKENBACKER BEATEN BY SOME MINUTES

MAJOR James H. Doolittle, noted speed flier, established a trans-Continental record for transport aeroplanes on January 15, touching his wheels at Floyd Bennett Airport, New York, 11h. 59m. after his takeoff at Los Angeles.

### TRAFFIC LANES FOR AIR

#### MARKED BY RADIO BEACONS

##### AVIATION EXPERTS SUGGESTION

Suggestions for developing air transport in Britain were made at the first conference of the Air Transport Section of the Society of British Aircraft Constructors at Grosvenor House.

The delegates represented air line operators, municipalities, and owners of air ports and aerodromes throughout the country.

Major R. H. Thornton, chairman of the Liverpool Civil Aviation Committee, in a paper, suggested

Beacons for air routes;

The setting up of a national airways board;

An hourly service between London and Manchester at 200 miles an hour.

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### INSURANCE RATES ON AEROPLANES

#### £50 A YEAR ENOUGH ON CHEAP MACHINE

##### PREMIUMS (LESSEN WITH PILOT'S EXPERIENCE)

(By W. COURTEMAY) Twelve leading insurance companies have formed a new company to specialise in aviation risks. What are the risks in civil aviation to-day, and how are they assessed?

I sought an answer from the British Aviation Insurance Company, which has been the pioneer concern in giving cover to pilots and aircraft in Great Britain.

It was pointed out to me that in the case of the private owner who buys his first aeroplane, perhaps a second-hand machine the value of which is not over £500, a charge of about £20 a year would be made.

The pilot has to carry an excess of £50 for damage until he has about 50 hours solo experience, when the excess is reduced to £25 or even £5. This is estimated on the experience of repair bills.

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## MISS EARHART AND AMY MOLLISON

### WHAT IS LEFT FOR THE RECORD-MAKER?

#### NO JOB, NO PROSPECTS

TWO women, both world famous as aviators, stood out recently in sharp and piquant contrast.

Amelia Earhart, wife of the American publisher Putnam, landed at Oakland, California, after flying from Honolulu, 2,400 miles across the Pacific. She is the first woman to fly the Pacific alone. She is the only woman who has flown the Atlantic alone.

And in London, sitting in her Park-lane flat, Amy Mollison, who ranks with Miss Earhart as the greatest woman pilot, complained that record-breaking flying was finished, and that she could not find a job.

### UNITED STATES' WOMAN Flier's MANY "FIRSTS"

#### AMELIA EARHART'S BRILLIANT LIST

##### MORE THAN ANY WOMAN OF TO-DAY

Amelia Earhart stamped her name indelibly into the newspaper headlines in 1928 by becoming the first woman to fly successfully across the Atlantic, and her aerial accomplishments since have made her indisputably America's premier woman aviator.

She probably has more worthwhile "firsts" in her record than any other woman of her generation. They include:

First woman to fly the Atlantic. First woman to fly solo across the Atlantic.

First person to fly the Atlantic twice.

First woman to fly an autogiro.

First person to cross the United States in an autogiro.

First woman to receive the Distinguished Flying Cross.

First woman to receive the National Geographic Society's gold medal.

First woman to make a trans-continental non-stop flight.

Holder of women's trans-continental speed record: 17.07.30.

Former holder of women's international speed record — 181.18 m.p.h.

First woman licensed in the United States to carry passengers for hire in cabin planes weighing up to 7700 pounds.

And now, first woman to fly the Pacific, from Honolulu to California.

### STRENGTH IN AIR

#### SIX MAJOR POWERS COMPARED

The relative strength of the six major air powers is as under:

Country	No. of Military Planes
Russia	3000
France	2286
United States	2200
Italy	1507
Britain	1484
Japan	801

If the proposed 2,400 planes should be added to the United States Army air forces, first place would be obtained with a total of 4,600 military aeroplanes. The extra 600 are naval planes.

### FIRST AMERICAN STATE TO REGULATE FLYING

Connecticut was the first State of America to regulate flying. An act of the legislature in 1911 required the licensing of "aeroplanes and aeronauts." The administration of this act to be in the hands of the secretary of state.

The United States has reported

numerous applications to regulate flying in various countries, and the first aeroplane was built.

### MISS EARHART AND AMY MOLLISON



Mrs. Amelia Earhart Putnam, the first woman to span the Atlantic and most of the Pacific in a solo flight, is still "my baby" to Mrs. Amy Odis Earhart, the New England-born resident of Los Angeles. Her mother fondly shows photographs of Amelia at the ages of 3 and 7, reproduced here from the family album, as America takes off its hat to Mrs. Putnam, shown above as she was given a New York greeting.

### NEW FIGHTERS FOR R.A.F.

#### SINGLE-SEATER TYPES NOW BEING GIVEN TRIALS

##### Time Cut By Two Hours

Averaging 183 miles an hour, an Eastern Air Lines passenger plane set a new Miami to New York record on January 14, racing the 1,200 miles in 6h, 34m, and 20s.

Twelve passengers were carried in the plane, with Dick Merrill as pilot and E. A. Barber as co-pilot.

The time made was two hours faster than any previous flight by the lines.

##### Retractable Wheel Fittings

##### DAY AND NIGHT FIGHTERS

Competitive trials are now in progress with new single-seat fighters for the R.A.F., and of these one is the first British war aeroplane to be fitted with retractable wheels, the object being increased speed with the wheels tucked up after leaving the ground.

This new machine is a Bristol design, and is a monoplane. In trials it has developed great speed, but details are at present secret.

Of the new Day and Night Fighters now under trial two are monoplanes—a Vickers and the Bristol referred to above.

The Bristol is a type of great interest. The wheels are retractable electrically, the pilot merely having to move a switch, an indicator on the instrument board informing him whether the wheels are down or tucked up.

The Super-Fury

The trials now in progress are for Day and Night Fighters, not Interceptors, and it is not to be inferred that present R.A.F. equipment is obsolete far from it. The Super-Fury, for example, which is gradually to supersede the earlier Fury type, has a speed of 250 miles per hour, and climbs 20,000ft in less than nine minutes, and it can, therefore, hold its own with any foreign machine.

And speed is not everything. During design and construction, and even after adoption, it is usual for types to undergo considerable improvement.

##### Increased Armament

Among the interesting tendencies in fighter design noticeable at the last Paris Show was increase of armament, many types having four instead of two machine-guns. A Czechoslovakian biplane fighter had two machine-guns on each side in the lower wing, so mounted in the wing itself that only the muzzles are visible. The French have always had two-seater fighters, and Britain has lately adopted them.

Most of the French single-seaters have very powerful engines, the object being such superiority of speed that their pilots would be able to engage or to break off action at will. Some sacrifice of manoeuvrability is unavoidable, especially in the case of monoplanes.

Crop dusting by aeroplane is extensively carried on in the cotton fields of the southern States of America.

### Britain's New Aerodromes

Eleven new aerodromes are to be constructed in Great Britain for the Royal Air Force.

This was announced in the House of Commons by the Minister of War, replying to a question by Lord Mottram (for

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Mrs. M. H. Chan and family gratefully tender their thanks to all their relatives and friends for their attendance at the funeral and floral tributes.

The China Mail

Hong Kong, Thursday, Feb. 21, 1935

British Trade Still Expanding

A gratifying tale of substantial improvement is told by the figures of Great Britain's overseas trade for 1934. Imports, which include raw materials, are up by over £57,000,000, exports by £28,000,000 and re-exports by £2,000,000. The exports are the highest since 1930, and the imports since 1931. Previous to the latter year imports had been rising fast, while exports were falling precipitously. The former tendency was summarily checked by the measures taken by the National Government, even while the export trade was still being battered by the general economic blizzard and by the frantic efforts of economic nationalism everywhere to sell without buying. Great Britain is once more doing the largest export trade in the world, but she has a long way to go to get back to the peak figures, which some think will never be reached again.

More than half the total increase in imports of £57,000,000 is in raw materials, the rises both in wood and in rubber being over £9,000,000. In her exports machinery, iron and steel, woollen and worsted yarns, and vehicles take the lead. Of cottons the best that can be said is that the outgoing trade was slightly better than last year, but nearly £4,000,000 worse than in 1932—itself a very bad year. Considering the severe restraints placed on international trade the general figures of the year are relatively good, and are certainly better than those of her trade rivals. Most of Britain's increased business has been with the Dominions, especially with India and South Africa. The Ottawa Agreements have not achieved all that British manufacturers hoped from them, but inter-Imperial trade would have been much less without them, and Mr. Runciman's series of commercial agreements also find their justification in these tables. Whether the International Shipping Conference, which is to be held shortly, will achieve any marked improvement remains to be seen. The preliminary conference which assembled in London set up a committee to draft a rationalisation scheme with

A Romance Of Industry

King Ghazi of Irak was the principal figure in the recent ceremony that celebrated the completion of the pipe-line from Kirkuk to the sea. Even in an age of engineering marvels this laying of more than 1,100 miles of seamless steel pipe through land which is desert for the greater part of the distance takes its place among the great romances of industry. To lay the line has cost £10,000,000, has involved the co-operation of British, French, Dutch, and American capital, and has called for epic labour from men drawn from all the countries through which the line runs. With its completion oil will pass from the wells in Irak direct to the terminal ports of Tripoli and Haifa.

The opening of the line is not to be regarded simply as an engineering achievement. If hopes are fulfilled it will be a great factor in the progress towards full civilisation of the peoples who inhabit the arid desert regions which it crosses. As oil flows out of Irak at the rate of 4,000,000 tons a year, so wealth will flow into the country, work will be provided, and it is a reasonable hope that the Bedouin will be gradually weaned from his nomadic habits. Certainly a new stability will be given to Irak itself and prosperity to the communities at each end of the line. The political results of laying the line may finally be accounted greater than the commercial consequences. Yet these latter must be notable, for they involve the bringing of one of the great oilfields of the world into touch with the ever-increasing market for oil.

FOUNDATION STONE  
 OF NEW LIFE

Madame Chiang  
 Supports Bible

Nanking. According to a Chinese report, Madame Chiang Kai-shek has donated several thousand dollars for the printing of the Old and New Testaments to help the promotion of the New Life Movement.

In order to live a new life, Madame Chiang feels, one must have a foundation for the new life, and in this connection the Holy Book is the only great help—Chakral Agency.

HERE, THERE  
 and  
 EVERYWHERE

28 YEARS A GOVERNOR

Sir Hubert Murray, who is retiring from the Governorship of Papua at the age of 73, has had the longest record of service in one territory of any Colonial Governor.

British New Guinea became an Australian Colony in 1906. Mr. Hubert Murray, as he then was, became its first Lieutenant-Governor and judge.

Before settling down in this wilder part of South Seas Islands, Sir Hubert obtained a double first in Classics at Magdalen College, where he was slightly senior to his brother, Professor Gilbert Murray. He practised at the English bar, and commanded a battalion in the South African war.

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ORDEAL BY WALKING

Sir Hubert is an ardent anthropologist, and his administration in New Guinea was liberal and strongly pro-native. He was proud of the fact that for many years he never found it necessary to execute one of his subjects, although cannibalism and head-hunting are among the most popular Papuan sports.

He invented a punishment which he found an effective deterrent from all kinds of law-breaking.

He is very tall and very strong. The punishment consisted of making the criminal walk with him on his tour of the interior.

Sir Hubert maintained a steady four miles an hour through the tropical forest. At the end of a month of this ferocious exercise no native was brave enough to sin again.

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REMORSE

One of Sir Hubert's strangest stories is of an old servant who became converted to Christianity. One day this man paid a visit to a savage tribe some distance from Port Moresby. They entertained him royally, but next morning he learned with horror that the chief dish had been "long pig" (man).

His remorse was so great that he wasted away and eventually died despite all Sir Hubert's consolations.

Your Daily Smile!

Trains are at last catching up with our train-caller. The streamlined announcement has been standard in American depots for years.

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Somebody has remarked that people with keen hearing can distinguish a Highland regiment on the march by the short swinging step that sets the kilts swirling. Another noticeable little peculiarity is the sound of the bagpipes.

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CHARMING WEDDING  
 AT ST. ANDREW'S

WHITE-WOOLLEY

WELL-KNOWN LADY HOCKEY  
 INTERPORER AS BRIDE

A charming wedding took place at the St. Andrew's Church this afternoon when Miss Margaret Woolley, the third daughter of the late Mr. W. H. Woolley of Highbridge, Somerset, and Mrs. Woolley of Hong Kong, became the wife of Mr. George Alexander White, son of Mr. F. White and the late Mrs. White of Birmingham. The Rev. J. R. Higgs officiated.

The bride is the well-known Hong Kong lady hockey Interporer, who scored Hong Kong's winning goal against the Shanghai Ladies, while the bridegroom is a prominent K.C.C. sportsman.

The bride, who was given away by Dr. H. D. Matthews, wore a charming creation of white lace lined with white satin, with a yell of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white gladioli.

The bridesmaids were the Misses Phyllis and Iris Woolley, sisters of the bride, and Miss Marjorie White. They were dressed in saffron organza with floral headbands and carried bouquets of gladioli.

Mr. E. F. (Bob) Selk, the popular Y.M.C.A. Assistant Secretary, was Best Man, while Mr. Reginald Woolley, brother of the bride, officiated at the organ.

Mrs. W. H. Woolley, the Matron of Honour, was dressed in a creation of brown silk lace, with hat and shoes to match.

Following the wedding ceremony

PURE DEMOCRACY  
 THE STATE WITHOUT  
 STRONG MEN

F. S. OLIVER'S POLITICAL TESTAMENT

(By J. B. Firth)

then was and still is—a good-humoured nonesuch—a matter-of-fact idealist—optimist and pugilist—despiser of preparations and precautions—lover of his ease—lover also of adventure—lover most of all of England—a light sleeper when England's honour or interests are concerned—prompt as lightning—and in absolute self-sacrifice a stayer to the end.

Gladstone's Faults

If any worshippers of "Mr. G." still survive, they may resent Mr. Oliver's presentation of their idol. Yet he is as fair to his great attributes as he is merciless towards the deadly faults which cost the country dear. He says:

"Gladstone resembled and even exceeded Bolingbroke, Fox and the others in the restlessness of his mind, in the impression he restlessness of his mind, in the impression he produced of furious energy, in his copious misuse of rhetoric and argument, but above all in his impotence when he had to deal with facts. Facts, to the Bolingbroke, are pliable things that can be bent this way or that, plastic things that can be squeezed at the orator's will into the most surprising shapes, things that can even be converted into vapour and blown away."

Deadly but true. There never was such a complete casuist as "Mr. G." He could sincerely believe anything, he liked—dreadful entreaty when added to a burning ambition to climb what Bacon calls "the winding stair," a moral fervour always at the point of incandescence and a passion for power which grew as the hands became ever less steady to wield it. Mr. Oliver returns to his victim again and again.

"Gladstone seemed to combine the gravitas in demeanour of a Venetian Senator with the levity in judgment of a revivalist misioneer."

"He walked abroad in blinkers, often blindfold."

"He practised with great gusto and self-complacency a kind of high ecclesiastical cunning such as priests use to divide their colleagues and destroy their rivals."

"These are hard sayings of one who stood high above the common stature of public men, but contrived always with the purest intentions—to let Great Britain down so badly in the Councils of Europe time after time."

The Specialists

I pass by with reluctance many another brilliant "Character" by Mr. Oliver in order to refer briefly to those sections of his "Political Testament" in which he discourses of the politician's necessary mental and moral equipment. There must be, he says, ambition to rise, and no too great squeamishness as to the rather dirty work in the scrum-mashes. Patriotism, too, is an essential quality in the politician, and the author justly says, that "the leaders of the community have a good right to rank as statesmen as have the leaders of the older parties."

But while he pays this tribute to Trade Union leaders he lashes out furiously at those of another kidney who have "no tincture of English patriotism" in their composition.

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Lonely Reader

To the Editor, "China Mail": Sir.—Being lonely and very much interested in various parts of the world, I would welcome friendly correspondence with any of your readers of either sex.

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# USELESS

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"What the hell?" demanded Mr. Rapp. Then the Cherub was upon him, murder in his zombie little eyes. Mr. Rapp dropped his dipper, scattering scalding coffee around, and grappled with the man. Outside, close, a sudden steam-throated blare split the wind. A vast shape loomed out of the snowy blanket. A shout or two burst from startled throats, then a great steamer struck the Fortuna squarely amidships, between galley and poop, and masts and yards fell in crashing chaos.

The Fortuna reeled, went over, the sea roaring through the rent, and the steamer went on out of sight, her siren sounding a staccato alarms. The sailing ship was stricken to death, her master shouting for the boats, her men tumbling out from their quarters half dressed, half asleep, wholly in panic.

Useless running along the deck collided with Mr. Rapp, holding a hand to his side, blood trickling through his fingers.

"Come along, my lad! This is the time to show you're a sailor!" gasped Mr. Rapp, and Useless saw his hard, rugged face turn white. He believed that fear was the pigment; but in the next few minutes he knew that whatever Mr. Rapp was otherwise, he was no coward. He followed him up to the boat galleys, where only one boat remained.

"Cut the falls and shove her out!" ordered Mr. Rapp. Then: "In with you! The ship's going!" Mr. Rapp shouldered three men into the boat. Useless saw a man roll from the galley door into the wash in the scuppers, and leaped down to help him up.

"Come on! That shunk's dead anyhow!" roared Mr. Rapp. Useless saw that Cherub was certainly dead, for as he raised him his head lolled foolishly sideways on a broken neck.

"Jump, you long fool!" yelled Mr. Rapp, and the ship lurched heavily. Useless slithered to leeward, fell over the rail, and was hauled into the boat, just before the Fortuna plumped under.

The wind and sea carried the boat fast to leeward. The steamer had stopped, and they shouted to her, but human voices could make no headway against that wind. The position of the steamer changed—she was slowly cruising, seeking for survivors—she came nearer, and once when she blew Useless thought he saw the dim shape of her, but it was night, and the snow was dense, his eyes deceived him for there shone no lights.

Mr. Rapp counted noses. There were five men all told in the boat—all soaked to the skin with icy water—and the water keg was empty, the stores, locker bare. There was a lugail, and a boat compass, that was all; and the gale that was fair for a ship bound around the Horn was a dead muzzler to a craft trying for the only land where sustenance might be found.

"Now show us how you sailed that fishing boat down from Nova Scotia," said Mr. Rapp sarcastically. "Step the mast and get her under control. No good looking for that steamer, — murderers!" Then, to the men:

"You've got one chance—one slim—chance—"

Mr. Rapp abruptly fell forward, his face between his knees, the tiller falling from his hand.

"That sweet Cherub got me!" he gasped. "You take charge, Long."

Now before he had started from Nova Scotia, Ulysses Long had studied the pilot books; and if there was one thing he had absorbed completely, it was the utter desolation offered to mariners who found themselves cast up derelict on Tierra del Fuego or Staten Land. There was, of course, Punta Arenas—but that was a long boat voyage away. Yet it was the only place besides Port Stanley, where Mr. Rapp could find the medical care that could save his life. Useless, in laying him down securely in the bottom of the boat, could feel the great sticky lump of bloody clothing near Mr. Rapp's heart. The Cherub had been no idle threat.

Nobody liked Mr. Rapp, or had reason to—least of all Useless. Yet he gave the man credit for playing a man's part in getting the boat clear away. There was Port Stanley, with a doctor, to windward truly, but nearer that the bleak Fuegan shore where men might starve after landing. Yet

Useless bitterly. "My feet is froze. I can't get away from you."

The policeman ignored him, one of them removed Mr. Rapp's sou'wester, revealing his face.

"Is this the man?" he demanded of a man beside him.

"Sure it is! I see him wallow Chunky with a blackjack—but I'm familiar with our strongly tidal rivers and are fully aware that our waters, wind and weather conditions differ from those of their New England summer."

"Good enough for a blighter!" laughed Davy Jones wildly. "Ain't it, Useless, old son?"

"P'raps, it's better for him," muttered Useless, dazedly, knowing how it feels to be com-

back to get hung! Not so good!"

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# RECORD CROWD SEE RUGBY CLASSIC

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more than hobble about, yet even in that condition he made a very good mark to save one ugly-looking situation.

Happy Inspiration

The success of the match as far as England was concerned was bought. His choice, although never selected for any of the trials, was indeed a happy inspiration.

Though faced in the first few minutes by a ball which bounced the wrong way for him, he did not allow himself to be disturbed, and went on to play classic game. He had to contend with any number of awkward situations, but never did a thing wrong, and his kicking with either foot was consistently long and accurate.

It was only fitting that he should kick the penalty goal which saved England from defeat. He had already made two creditable attempts from a good way out in the first half, and he made no mistake about his third effort from a somewhat easier position.

Jenkins is a polished player, and did very well for Wales, but he did not inspire quite the same confidence as the Gloucester man.

The English forwards got the ball monotonously in the scrums, but that is where their superiority began and ended. In the jostles, they had nothing like the dash of the Welshmen, who appeared to be much quicker on the ball and more ruthless in their manner of getting there.

Nicholson Hooks Well

Much credit is due to Nicholson for the way he hooked, to Longland and Kendrew, who made such a solid front row, and to Dicks and Clarke in the second row.

But the back row, as such, was not a success. Kemp did a lot of work in the loose, but I scarcely noticed Weston or Cridlan throughout the game. Kendrew and Clarke seemed to be doing most of the work, supported on occasions by Longland and Dicks.

The Welsh back row, however, did splendidly. Skym was a great spoiler, so was Rees, who also did a lot of attacking, while Lang, in the centre, played well and was always near the ball.

Towards the end of the first they began to get the ball in the scrums, but, except for a brief period then, they were unable to cope with their heavier opponents. They made up for this defect by their sterling work in the loose.

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FASTER BOAT THAN RAINBOW?

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Then the harbour. There lay a steamer, a steamer with battered bows. The boat was sighted, a harbour tug came fussing along to tow her to the landing.

Useless' exaltation died in him. On the wharf stood a little crowd of men, and there were policemen among them. One was pointing at the boat pointing straight at Useless, who no longer occupied with his boat's safety, was trying to raise Mr. Rapp to a seat beside him.

The boat came to the wharf. Useless hugged Mr. Rapp to him, afraid now because he was so cold, so stiff.

"Here's a feller for the doctor. Needs him bad!" he shouted.

The policeman stepped into the boat.

"Don't worry about me," insisted Useless bitterly. "My feet is froze. I can't get away from you."

The policeman ignored him, one of them removed Mr. Rapp's sou'wester, revealing his face.

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